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Social Notes—Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Bernat and son, Lee, of Rochester, N.Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Mendel, Harvard Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Plotnick, Coolbrook Avenue, entertained at a supper party in honor of the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Maurice Spector, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Spector, St. Urbain Street. Mrs. Plotnick wore a black silk printed dress, with a corsage of red roses and sweet peas; Mrs. M. Spector, a white silk printed dress, with a corsage of red roses and baby's breath; Miss Plotnick, a pink silk printed dress, with a corsage of red roses and sweet peas. The table held a centerpiece of tulips and snapdragons and white tapers. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Litner and Mr. and Mrs. O. Plotnick, grandparents of the bride-elect; Mr. and Mrs. H. Spector, Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Plotnick, Mr. and Mrs. I. Plotnick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Litner, Rabbi H. Rothblatt, Mrs. A. Dubois, Mrs. L. Hart, of New York; Mrs. S. Harris, of Cleveland, Ohio; Seymour Greenberg and Misses Clara Leber, Zaida Plotnick, Lorna Greenberg, Pearl Litner, Ida Rudnick, Florence Plotnick, and Marion Plotnick.

Dr. and Mrs. Rubin Strauss, Esplanade Avenue, are spending a holiday at Lakewood Lodge, St. Donat.

Mrs. Leon Crestohl, Ducharme Avenue, has gone to St. John, N. B.

Mrs. Oscar Jacobson, of Fredrickton, N.B., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Klaiman, Clark Street.

Lieut. Ed Michael Berger, E.C.N.V.R. of Halifax, N. S., has just returned from the front of Sub-Lieut. Mrs. Berger, and their four month old daughter, Naomi, live at 722 Wilbur Avenue. A brother, Flt.-Lieut. Julius Berger, is a chaplain with the R.C.A.F., and another brother, Sgt.-Ldr. Samuel Berger, R.C.A.F., overseas, is stationed in England.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Samit, de l'Espe Avenue, returned from a three-

week stay in Washington, D.C., where they visited the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. Begun, and were present at the bar-mitzvah of the latter's son, Eugene, and from New York, where they visited Mrs. Samit's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. Lang.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Glanz and son, Irwin Donald, formerly of 4677 Jeanne Mance Street, have taken up residence at 7018 Louis Hebert Street, Rosemount.

Mr. and Mrs. Myer Roth and son, Sheldon, have taken up residence at 5788 Northmount Avenue. Miss Shirles Engler, Esplanade Avenue, is spending two weeks in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pecker, St. Urbain Street, are back from New York where they visited their daughter, Mrs. S. Hirschman, and her son, Michael Jason.

Mrs. N. Plakun, returned to her home in Mexico City after having spent the winter with her brothers and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Max Leiner, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leiner.

Miss Ruth Coan, of Brooklyn, N.Y., spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. M. Coplan, Jeanne Mance Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Beit, of New London, Conn., are visiting the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Cameroff, Wilder Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Hall and son, Martin, Park Avenue, have returned from a week's stay in New York, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Labia.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Bernstein, of Chicago, Ill., is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mayoff, 4844 Clark Street, and will go on to spend a week with her brother, M. Mayoff, of Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lecker, St. Lawrence Boulevard, gave a family victory dinner at the Borchard.

Mrs. C. E. Roodish, 3515 Ducharme Avenue, will hold open house on the evening of June 9, and on the afternoon and evening of June 10, in honor of her son-in-

law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Goldberg, formerly Miss Betty Roodish.

Miss Muriel Fishman, Jeanne Mance Street, was hostess at a tea presentation at the Embassy Room, Windsor Hotel, for Miss Sarah Goroff, fiancée of Abe Elcovitch, and bride-elect of October 20. Others present were: Mesdames H. Fishman, I. Hall, M. L. Elcovitch, and A. P. Gorofsky.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Leiner entertained one hundred guests at a dinner dance at the Borchard in honor of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Jack, which took place at the Ukrainian Synagogue. Mrs. Leiner wore a black crepe dress, with gold sequin trimming, and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. N. Plakun, of Mexico City, an aunt of the bar-mitzvah, was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rosen, St. Lawrence Boulevard, held a victory celebration. The house was decorated with flags, and red, white, and blue streamers. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Lecker, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lecker, Mr. and Mrs. I. Marks, Cpl. and Mrs. A. Gale, Mr. and Mrs. S. Corber, Mr. and Mrs. C. Corber, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. I. Feiger, L.A.C. Harold Lecker, L.A.C. Hy. Hymavitch, Morris Zinnman, Marvin Lecker and Sydney Lecker.

Mrs. D. Satov, 4098 Rivard St., gave a continental card party for Mrs. H. Wolfe, Esplanade Avenue, and Mrs. C. Fishman, St. Dominique Street, who have recovered from illness. Each honoree was presented with a Chinese garden plant. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. B. Helfeld and Miss Helen Brodie. Others present were: Mesdames H. Gaisin, M. Mayoff, L. Brodie, D. Stotland, S. Chait, H. Nolan, and Miss Rose Pellat.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Sachs, 802 Dillard Avenue, entertained at an evening party for the latter's brother, Gen. Louis Granich, stationed at Kamloops, B.C., who was home on leave. The table was centred with roses, and held places for: Mr. and Mrs. A. Granich, Gen. Granich's parents; Mr. and Mrs. M. Granich, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sachs, Mr. and Mrs. B. Abrams, Mr. and Mrs. M. Anolick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. S. Klein, Mrs. M. Shetlucky, Miss Billie Brazen, Leah Granich, and David Halpern, Gen. Granich and Miss Brazen sang, and Jack Shapiro entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanders, Maplewood Avenue, gave a party in celebration of their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Their children, Norman and Morris Sanders, were there; also, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kotler, Norman Brown and Frances, Miss Helen Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Birman, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Beitel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gandall, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cooperberg, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nadel, Mr. and Mrs. H. Berk, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kaplan. The table was centred with red roses. Mrs. Sanders wore a black dress trimmed with black and white checked taffeta.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross, Soissons Avenue, gave a surprise party for the latter's mother, Mrs. P. B. Kooperstock, who celebrated her sixtieth birthday. Her sister, Mrs. M. Lefort, in navy-blue crepe, was there; and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kooperstock, the latter wearing a black crepe dress, trimmed in black taffeta; Mr. and Mrs. T. Goldberg, her son-in-law and daughter, the latter wearing black crepe; her nephews and nieces, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Esser, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Kibrick; and E. Reutlinger. Mrs. Kooperstock, the honoree, wore a black printed dress, and Mrs. Ross wore a black printed dress. The table was centred with pink roses, and the birthday cake was mocha, with white and pink trimming, and a chocolate inscription reading: "Happy Birthday. Mother, On Your Sixtieth Birthday." Mrs. Kooperstock has four grandchildren, Henry, Phyllis, and Gail Ross, and Harvey Goldberg.

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MARRIAGES**GOLDBERG-ROODISH**

The marriage of Betty, only daughter of Mrs. C. E. Roodish, Ducharme Avenue, and the late Abraham Roodish, to Martin Jerome Goldberg, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldberg, Ducharme Ave., took place at eight o'clock, on Monday evening, April 30, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue, Rabbi H. Abramowitz officiating. The bride wore a light blue suit of fine wool, with a coral-colored tulle waist-length veil, and carried a prayer book decorated with Poincett roses. Mrs. Roodish, mother of the bride, wore a dusty-pink printed crepe dress, black hat, and a corsage spray of gardenias. Mrs. Goldberg, mother of the groom, was in a navy blue crepe dress, with blue hat, and a corsage cluster of tea roses. A small reception was held at the home of the bride's mother. Later the bride and groom left by plane for Miami, Florida, the bride travelling in a tweed suit, gold-colored coat, and alligator accessories. They will live on Peel Street.

BAKER-SANDBERG

The marriage of Elsie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sandberg, 276 Villeneuve Street West, to Pte. Harvey H. Baker, U.S.A.C., of Los Angeles, Cal., stationed in San Francisco, son of Mrs. F. Golden, Ducharme Avenue, took place at the home of the bride's parents, on April 7, at half past eight o'clock, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a platinum grey crepe dress, fashioned with a square neckline and a not yoke, long sleeves, and torso shirring. She had a headpiece of fuchsia-colored veiling, and carried a Bible trimmed with orchids. Mrs. Albert Halbrecht, sister of the groom, was matron of honor, in a printed aquamarine-blue and brown jersey dress, fashioned on Grecian lines; brown hat, and white gardenia corsage. The house was decorated with spring flowers, snapdragons, gladioli, and ferns. The table was centred with spring flowers. Mrs. Sandberg, mother of the bride, wore a black crepe dress, trimmed with sequins and bugle beads, lowered hat, and a corsage of Tallman roses. Mrs. Golden, mother of the groom, wore a two-piece dress of navy blue and pink, with matching accessories. The bride and groom spent their honeymoon in New York, the bride travelling in a brown tweed suit, brown accessories, and a corsage of orchids. They are living in New York, Cal.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Greenberg, of Norwalk, Conn., announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Betty, to Sergeant Nathan Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Scott, of Longueuil, to take place on Sunday, May 27, at the Windsor Hotel, in Montreal.

Card Of Thanks

Mrs. N. Kotsky and family wish to express their deepest heartfelt thanks to their relatives and friends for their kindness and expressions of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement in the loss of their dearly beloved husband, father, and grandfather, Nathan Kotsky.

DEATHS

Philip Aronoff, aged fifty-eight, died on May 4, at the Jewish Hospital at Hope. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Madwinsky Aronoff; two daughters, Mrs. J. Loris (Frances), of Ottawa, Ont.; and Miss Ruth Aronoff; three sons, Cpl. William Aronoff, E.C. A.F., stationed at St. Hubert; Edward and Sol. of Montreal; eight grandchildren; and one brother, Abraham Aronoff, of New York. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi H. J. Stern officiating. Burial was in Workmen's Circle cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 4554 Hutchison St.

Mrs. Rose Freedman Mendelsohn, widow of the late Max Mendelsohn, aged seventy-two, died on Tuesday, May 8, at the Royal Victoria Hospital. She is survived by three sons, Israel C. Harry G., and S. Leon Mendelsohn, E.C., all of Montreal; four daughters, Mrs. A. Darginsky (Ray), of New York; Mrs. Dora Cohen, of Montreal; Mrs. M. Silverman (Celia),

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Mrs. H. Press (Gertrude), of Toronto; Mrs. J. Cytrynbaum (Fanny), and Mrs. E. Block (Lily), both of Montreal; and five grandchildren. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi N. Abramovitch officiating. Burial was in Chertva Shas cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 117 Mount Royal Avenue West.

Morris J. Mirsky, aged thirty-six years, died on May 8, at the Private Pavilion, Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. May Williams Mirsky; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Mirsky; one brother, Major Arthur I. Mirsky, of Cincinnati, Ohio; two sisters, Miss Ruth Mirsky, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Mos Leavitt, (Ethel), of Montreal. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi H. J. Stern officiating. Burial was in Temple Emanuel-El cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 2747 Maplewood Avenue.

Nathan Amiel died suddenly in his seventy-eighth year, on May 5. He is survived by two daughters. (Continued on Page Ten)

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MONTREAL MEETINGS

• CANADIAN Jewish Congress: House-to-house collection in aid of the civilian victims of war will be held on June 8, auspices of the Central People's Relief Committee, contributions turned over to the United Jewish Refugee and War Relief Agencies. Central People's Relief Committee is led by Samuel.

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ing night. Alexander Barovitch is chairman of the artists group.

• HOSPITAL OF HOPE committee for the give-or-get luncheon of the Units, at the Mount Royal Hotel, on June 6, are comprised of: Mesdames S. Caplan, A. Weiskopf, P. W. Cohen, C. Tauer, H. Oberfeld, A. Shaparkoff, M. Cooper, B. Reizen, P. Mendelsohn, S. Grossman, S. Botner, A. Cramer, J. Basovitch, S. Wittenberg, A. Goldstein, M. Carin, E. Polonsky, C. Polonsky, S. Singerman, J. Winer, C. Berkofsky, A. Polonsky, D. Tesser, W. Rinsler, C. Rosen, A. Scheinman, R. Abramovitch, S. Rapoport, E. Singer, C. Mendelsohn, B. Kauffman, S. Levites, A. Shulman, J. Manolson, C. Baum, S. Goldman, A. Isenberg, M. Rothman, S. Adler, G. Climan, C. Gerlinger, M. Lazanick, S. Alrod, S. Mazin, L. Woods, M. Nadler, L. Bronstein, D. Steinberg, H. Finckelstein, H. Pollitt, I. Dash, H. Butters, J. Ostroff, W. Drobetzky, L. Abramovitch, R. Mackarofsky, B. Blumenthal, N. Breslow, H. Granofsky, H. Maltinsky, L. Holtzman, H. Reinhardt, B. Sibilin, L. Wanger, J. Schneiderman, B. Stark, I. Polonsky, L. Myer, H. Raichman, M. Lightstone, S. Israelovitch, S. Pinsky. Units meeting on Sunday, May 20, are: Sara B. Stein, closing dinner at 1447 Blouy Street, Dr. H. Hershorn, lecturer. On Monday, at 8 p.m.: Goodwill, at the home of Mrs. I. Lipenholts, 1973 Clinton Avenue, election; Chasie Small, at the home of Mrs. A. Lapkoff, 4815 Dornal Avenue, Texas Jacobson, at the home of Mrs. L. Wartimer, 105 Villeneuve Street, guest speaker, Dr. D. R. Backer; Tikvah, at the home of Mrs. Freda Simon, 6622 Phillips Avenue, social. At 2:30 p.m.: Victory, at 5 Marie Anne St. East, hostess: Mrs. E. Sachin. On Tuesday, at 8 p.m.: J. Barovitch, at 5 Marie Anne Street East, hostess, Mesdames S. Margules and H. Corbin; Mordcait Baker, at the home of Mrs. M. Lazanick, 4895 St. Urbain Street; Yoiaef Pinsky, at 6045 Dufferin Avenue; hostesses, Mesdames B. Selick and D. Daniels. At 2:30 p.m.: Henry Shuster, at the home of Mrs. P. Rosenberg, 5157 Jeanne Mance St., guests invited: I. J. Borin, at the home of Mrs. I. Kravitz, 6684 Esplanade Avenue. On Wednesday, at 8 p.m.: Sibel Rubin, at the home of Mrs. M. Singer, 2130 Barclay Avenue; Israel Mayoff, at the home of Mrs. J. Pack, 669 Champlain Avenue, guest speaker, Dr. D. R. Backer; Sara Aron Breiman, at the home of Mrs. J. Teller, 205 Mount Royal St. West. On Thursday, at 8 p.m.: Chasie Kewen, at 5 Marie Anne St. East.

• NORTH END Vilkomir Ladies Auxiliary board meeting was at the home of Mrs. H. Buchner, 3987 City Hall Avenue. Mrs. D. Tesser gave a reading, and Mrs. B. Cohen sang. The hostess donated \$2, and also a raffle, which was won by Mrs. S. Levine. Mrs. M. Lesser thanked the hostess, and Mrs. A. Grill presided.

• WOMEN'S Social Service Organization: At the eleventh annual meeting, at the Mount Royal Hotel, Mrs. R. Seigler, president, reported that this year, 14,729 quarts of milk, 2,135 articles of clothing, 127 bottles of cod liver oil, 50 baskets of food had been distributed; ninety-five children received periodical medical and dental care; layettes to wives of returned soldiers; work in the Red Cross Drive, Victory Bond campaign, Save The Children Fund, comforts and cigarettes to the boys overseas, contributions to hospitals where voluntary work is being done, to the Navy League of Canada, Milk for Britain, Youth Aliyah, and Girl's Cottage School at Freeburg, comprised activities. Mrs. E. Seigler was re-elected president.

• HEBREW Consumptive Aid Association thirty-night annual meeting elected Jack R. Bogante as president for the twelfth consecutive year. Other officers: S. Caplan, M. Cohen, Mrs. J. Isen, J. Better, S. Solomon, Mesdames J. Sumner, A. Weiskopf, H. Brill, M. Bernstein, M. Scherer, Mrs. H. Weintraub, T. Batshaw, Miss Mary Ratner, Mrs. S. Statner, S. Schlossberg, Mrs. G. Stepan, Mrs. D. Tesser. A tablet of names of those who for twenty-five years urged the building of the Jewish Hospital of Hope will be unveiled at a ceremony at the Hospital on May 27, at 2:30 p.m.

• DAUGHTERS OF ISRAEL Charitable Society tag day on Tuesday, May 22, will aid local needy families. Volunteer taggers wanted. Boxes will be delivered. Telephone conveners are: Mrs. L. Firestone, AT. 0681; and Mrs. A. N. Breslow, HA. 1728.

• ADATH ISRAEL Sisterhood newly elected executive is: honorary presidents, Mesdames I. N. Knight and H. D. Cheifetz; president, Mrs. Robert Shiller; others, Mesdames Charles Eisenstat, M. Shuchat, J. Sternthal, H. Yanofsky, J. Hubscher, L. Rubinovitch, M. Mensher; advisory committee, Mesdames P. Segal, M. Samuels, L. Riven.

• FEDERATION of Rumanian Jews of Canada. Women's Division: At the second annual money shower, Mrs. H. Aronovitch, the new president, received with Mrs. M. Segal, Mrs. M. Moyse, conveners, was assisted by Mrs. M. Segal, L. H. Rohrluck, E. C. president of the Men's Division, a p.o.k.e. Hostesses were: Mesdames A. Shapiro, S. Rohrluck, E. Rohrluck, T. A. Herscovitch, N. Herscovitch, T. Herscovitch, G. Rabinovitch, N. Schwartz, J. Jackson, M. Spier, R. Segal, J. Herscovitch, G. Berserman, G. Shayne, S. Mendelson, M. Segal, A. Mandelker, M. Moyse; Miss Goldie Goldstein. Mrs. Moe Goldberg donated a raffle which was won by Mrs. S. Zaitman.

• ALLIED RELIEF Committee met at the home of Misses Mamie and Sylvia Swirsky, 4276 City Hall Avenue, Miss Fannie Sheratzky, president. Miss Bertha Kamantetsky led the spelling bee, which Miss Ruby Silver won. Musicale and social, in June, will benefit Red Cross.

• Third annual group show by Jewish artists will be held at the Y.M.H.A., 265 Mount Royal Avenue West, sponsored by the Y. M. and Y. W., opening Sunday, May 20, to Sunday, June 3, every day from 2 to 10 p.m. excepting Friday night and Saturday. The work of the artists consists of paintings, drawings, and sculpture. Mesdames M. Dickstein, A. Berker, R. Lightstone, P. Levy, S. Kahn are in charge of arrangements for opening night. Alexander Barovitch is chairman of the artists group.

CROWD WELCOMES BLUM HOME

Leon Blum, leader of the French Socialist party and former Premier, who was liberated in Germany by Americans, arrived in Paris by air on May 14 from Naples.

Because of his age - 73 - and privations he suffered he rested in Italy for one week before continuing his journey. His wife accompanied him after having shared his captivity.

There was a crowd at Orly Airfield to greet the Socialist leader, including one of General de Gaulle's aides bearing a personal message. M. Blum's greeting was on a larger scale than any other yet accorded to a returning leader.

M. Blum desires to rest for some time yet. Meantime, he prefers to make no statement for publication apart from that "under de Gaulle France is coming back into her own."

girls, Mary Alexander, Suzy Beck, Miriam Cooper, Betty J. Genser, Stephanie Stern, Andrea Yapha. Pulpit honours on Shavuoth: Arthur Simon, Hyman Grover, Martin Aronovitch, George Hollinger, Louis Wolfe, Ushers: Samuel Paperman, Charles Asch, M. Silverstein, J. Cooper, Douglas Leberg, Richard Bornstein, Arnold Burko, Ernest Pappelbaum, A. S. Leberg, B. B. Burke, Dr. I. Copnick.

• HADASSAH Chapters meeting Monday, May 21, at 2:30, are: Adath Israel, at the home of Mrs. I. E. Cleman, 810 Hartland Ave. Radimah, at the home of Mrs. L. Michlin; Nair Tamid, tea, at the home of Mrs. H. Diamond, 4801 Wilson Avenue. Chapters meeting Monday, at 8:30, are: Eta Cohen, at the home of Mrs. A. Costin; 5653 Hutchinson Street; Doba Shiller, at the home of Mrs. Robert Shiller, 3764 Kent Avenue; Rachel Anna Leavy, at the home of Mrs. W. Bialli, 4891 Jeanne Mance St.; Shalindel Gordon, at Zionist Headquarters, Mrs. A. Segal and Mrs. M. Schneiderman, hostesses; election: Rachel Lea Ethel, social, at the home of Mrs. D. Pinsky. Chapter meeting Tuesday, at 2:30, is: Central, at the home of Mrs. H. Morawitz, 5847 Park Ave. Chapter meeting Tuesday, at 8:30, is: Judith, bridge, at Judean House, Mrs. A. Darabaner, convenor, friends invited. Chapter meeting Monday, at 8:30, is: Emos Israel, at Judean House, Mrs. S. Corash, hostess. Montreal Hadassah Tombola meeting is in the Y.M.H.A. on Monday, May 21, at 2:30. Mrs. E. C. Schloff, president, will preside. Mrs. S. Fanner, convenor, will be in charge of returns. Palestine film at 8. Open to public.

• LAURENTIAN Camp Juniors annual paid-up luncheon was at the home of Mrs. Charles Rothman, 789 Lexington Avenue. Mrs. Cecil Vineberg presented her presidential report. A fashion show was sponsored by Holt, Renfrew and Company, with Miss Roberta Beatty as commentator. Presentations were made to Mesdames C. Rothman and George Rotsky. Donations throughout the year were to: Jewish Laurentian Fresh Air Camp, \$150; Youth Aliyah, \$650; Mo'ess Chittin Fund, \$50; Passover baskets, \$100; Women's War Efforts (comforts boxes), \$250; Save the Children Fund, \$30; Red Cross, \$500; Chinese Women's Relief Association, as a result of the sale of Chinese greeting cards, \$1,850. Board members are: honorary president, Mrs. J. Hirsch; president, Mrs. Cecil Vineberg; others, Mesdames J. Fox, D. Feldman, L. Kirach, J. Rubin, L. Richardson, M. Gilbert, H. Golden, S. Adolstein, H. Barnett, J. Bucker, J. Caplan, A. L. Stein, L. Nalmer, H. Shiller, M. Gross, L. Stein, H. Axelrod, J. Stein, C. Rotman, D. Margolies, L. Kolber, S. Marmorestein, E. Abramovitch, M. Schwartz, B. Goldberg, J. Heller, H. Brill, M. Uditky, H. Deckelbaum.

• BETH DAVID Sisterhood meeting on May 21, at 8:30 p.m., will have Mrs. H. Fineman as hostess. Mrs. Max Segal, president, will preside.

• JEWISH JUNIOR Welfare League will hold its closing dinner party at the Normandie Roof, Mount Royal Hotel, on Sunday, May 20. Floor show, orchestra. W.V.S. pins will be presented to members who have devoted over sixty hours in volunteer work on League projects. Reservations, Mrs. P. Coan, 6094 Victoria Avenue, conveners, Mesdames P. Coan, D. Feldman, J. Fox, Al. Gold. Fifty door prizes will be distributed.

• Names of surviving Jews in Poland which were sent to the outside world by Lublin radio are now being made available to their Canadian relatives by the Canadian Jewish Congress. The Polish radio station broadcast the names and addresses of 929 Jews who survived the German occupation together with the names and addresses of their relatives outside Europe. A number of Canadian names were thus listed. Jewish

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Above, the executive and charter members of the Metro Girls Club, of Montreal, are active in sending comforts boxes and cigarette overseas.

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ner extensively. In 1925 he organized the Palestine Economic Corporation, the group with which he was most closely associated in Jewish affairs. Shortly after the group came into existence the American Palestine Company was merged with it, transferring to the new body more than \$1,000,000 worth of subscriptions. Associated with Mr. Flexner in this major project to extend credits and in

other ways to promote industry and commerce in Palestine were Felix M. Warburg, Louis Marshall and Herbert H. Lehman.

Mr. Flexner was president of the corporation until 1931. One of the organization's major activities early in its career was the financing of the hydroelectric station on the Jordan River and of the transmission lines to power stations at Tel Aviv, Haifa and Tiberias.

In 1928 Mr. Flexner founded the Abraham Flexner Lectureship in Medicine at Vanderbilt University

and the Mary Flexner Lectureship on Humanities at Bryn Mawr College. The latter was in honor of his sister, a graduate of Bryn Mawr.

Mr. Flexner continued to be known primarily as a lawyer and as head of the Palestine Economic Corporation, but his interest in juvenile welfare never flagged. He had collaborated on studies of juvenile courts with R. N. Baldwin and Reuben Oppenheimer and, in 1929, with the latter and Katharine F. Lenoir of the Federal Children's Bureau, he prepared a report urging domestic relations clinics staffed by psychologists, psychiatrists and social investigators.

Late in 1930 Mr. Flexner was appointed with Dr. Cyrus Adler, Morris Rothenberg and Robert

Szold, to a provisional committee of four to act on behalf of American members of the Jewish Agency for Palestine, as a result of the resignation of Mr. Warburg as chairman of the agency's administrative committee. Three years later he was chosen vice-president of the American Joint Reconstruction Foundation, succeeding Governor Lehman.

In 1933 he joined in the work of the Emergency Committee in Aid of Displaced German Scholars, serving as a member of the group's executive committee. Two years later, with the formation of the \$10,000,000 Refugee Economic Corporation, headed by Mr. Warburg, Mr. Flexner was named secretary. Mr. Flexner was also active in the affairs of the American Jewish

Joint Distribution Committee and served for many years on its board of directors and executive committee.

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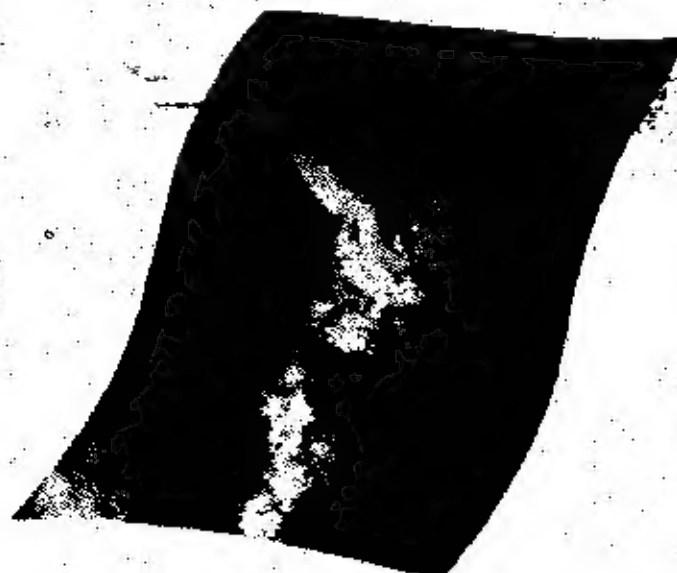
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They Were Not Guttersnipes, The Two Who Were Hanged

By Gerald Frank, In The Nation

Eliahu Hakim and Eliahu Bet-Souri are dead. They paid with their lives on the hangman's scaffold in Cairo for the murder, the deliberate and premeditated murder, of Lord Moyne, British minister resident in the Middle East. There is no question that they died firm in the belief that they were martyrs, and there is no question that a small segment of Palestine Jewry will agree with them. But the tragedy is one that goes beyond mere sympathy for two misguided youths and the fam-

ily of the man they murdered.

I attended their trial in Cairo, and like the other correspondents in the courtroom day after day, I was deeply affected by the dignity with which they stated their case, by the courage with which they faced their judges, and by the closely reasoned argument they presented. They killed Lord Moyne. There was never any question of that. "We came to Egypt to kill the lord," Bet-Souri said. He said it without histrionics. "He was a symbol of British rule in Palest-

ine, and as a symbol we killed him." They had nothing against him as a man. This was not a murder of passion. He was a symbol. Perhaps you saw photographs of Hakim and Bet-Souri which showed them as dark-jowled, shifty-eyed guttersnipes. They were not that. Hakim, no more than eighteen, was a thin, sallow boy, and when he spoke, it was in a strained, hesitant voice, and he quoted the Bible. Bet-Souri was fair-haired and blue eyed, with a close-clipped blond mustache above a firm mouth and strong chin—a steady youth who stood with folded arms between his impassive guards and now and then leveled a forefinger at the presiding justice and said calmly, "I disagree with you," or "That is not the

fact." He was only twenty-three, but he spoke with the measured precision and maturity of a man twice his age. He carried the trial.

His premise was an astonishing one—we correspondents agreed on that—and yet so persuasive was his sincerity and so carefully reasoned his argument that if you accepted his premise you found yourself driven almost to his conclusion—that he and Hakim should be acquitted. What was this premise? It emerged from the charge that Great Britain was given the mandate precisely because it promised to facilitate immigration into Palestine, that immigration was deliberately halted by the White Paper in contravention of the mandate at a time when thousands of Jews, now

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dead in Europe, could have been brought into Palestine, and that he, Bet-Souri, and other "Sons of Palestine" had pleaded and protested and appealed — without avail.

"If we have given up propaganda and speeches as a method and have turned to the gun," said Bet-Souri, "it is because that is how the situation is in Palestine." Lord Moyne was a symbol, and he was killed.

What was their premise? Bet-Souri stated it in what was undoubtedly the most electrifying moment of the trial. The presiding justice, thin-faced, gray-haired, exact, wearing the inevitable red tarboosh and seated on a throne-like chair, had abruptly halted Bet-Souri in his speech and snapped impatiently, "Here, stop this! You are giving us political propaganda. Get down to facts. What has all this to do with the killing of Lord Moyne?"

And Bet-Souri, suddenly losing his calmness as he stood in the prisoners' dock behind the spike-tipped iron staves fenceling him off from us, took one step forward toward the presiding justice, leveled that accusing finger at him, and in a voice so impassioned and carrying the accents of such righteousness that it almost brought us out of our seats, cried, "Our deed stemmed from our motives, and our motives stemmed from our ideals, and if we prove our ideals are right and just, then our deed was just!" The presiding justice, taken aback, stared at him for a moment, looked down at his blotter, and said in Arabic, "Continue."

The court suppressed note-taking when Bet-Souri made his speech explaining the motives behind the murder, but to anyone who has been in Palestine they are no secret. It has been charged before that the Criminal Investigation Division of the Palestine government has used torture to elicit information, that men have been arrested and held in jail without benefit of trial. There have been charges of misrule and dictatorial acts. But, above all, an entire generation of youth have felt a terrible sense of frustration when they saw their people massacred throughout Europe by the million and were given no opportunity to fight as Jews against the monstrous threat to them to remain those who could be saved.

Why did Hakim and Bet-Souri kill Lord Moyne? It was to bring their grievances violently to the attention of the world. In their extremist philosophy the Zionist method of seeking a solution for Jewish homelessness by working in concert with Great Britain was ineffectual. "Our deed was a political deed," Bet-Souri told the court. "We did not know the lord personally. We carried a photograph of him so we could recognize him. It was a political act. What other reason could we possibly have?" For that reason he wanted their case tried before an international court, a "court that does not yet exist, based on pure morals and pure justice."

I was told by an advising defense attorney that he first suggested to the boys that they plead temporary insanity and throw themselves on the mercy of the court. They refused. Lord Moyne was a symbol—and their act was a symbol. If they could not explain it, they said, it would have been in vain. I asked Bet-Souri, when the defense rested, if he had said all he wished to say. He looked at me. "About 85 per cent," he said.

For much of the trial it seemed that Bet-Souri had the audience, the correspondents, and, if truth be told, even the judges, with him.



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His speech made a tremendous appeal to a courtroom of Egyptians many of whom in their own youth had belonged to similar extremist nationalist organizations. When Bet-Souri, arms folded, eyes fixed on space, said reflectively, "I remember how as a boy in Tel-Aviv, standing on the terrace of my father's house, I saw British police quell a demonstration, and I asked myself, 'What are these strangers doing in my land? Why should a man leave his home and family in a far-away country and come into my country to do these things?'" There was a rustling through the

audience, and Egyptian turned to Egyptian with a knowing smile. Bet-Souri played upon Egyptian nationalism. "We had definite orders not to harm any Egyptian," he said. "Our fight is not with the Egyptians. Our orders dealt with Lord Moyne and only Lord Moyne." Three Egyptian attorneys spoke in the boys' behalf, but it was Bet-Souri who stated the case and Bet-Souri who made the plea, and it was Bet-Souri who rose when his attorneys had finished and said, "I want to thank my attorney. I want to thank this court for its treatment of me. I am sure we

could not have received better treatment anywhere in the world. But I want to make it clear that I do not agree with everything my attorneys have said in my defense. The political views stated by the defense relating to Palestine are not my views." In this he was denying a statement that the aims of the Zionists and the Sternists were identical. In his own speech he had emphasized that his ideas were "not Zionist ideas," that he and his fellow-Sternists disassociated themselves from Zionism, that they represented the Sons of Palestine who had fought for Pal-

estine's freedom before a Balfour Declaration existed. The Sternists, who at most number some 150 active members and who are part of an extremist group totalling about 2,000, do not represent Palestine Jewry, which numbers more than 600,000.

How was the assassination taken in Palestine? It came as a tremendous shock. People could not believe the first Cairo dispatches which stated that the two killers "spoke Hebrew."

I was listening to the radio in the office of a high Zionist official

in Jerusalem when Winston Churchill, speaking from London, declared that he, one of the "architects of Zionism," might have to reconsider his position if terrorism continued. The Zionist leader had been telling me how he, personally, had been overwhelmed by the news of the murder, and how terrible a blow his cause had suffered. Now, after Churchill's warning, tears actually sprang to his eyes as he said, "When I think how proud we have been that Zionism could always come before the world with clean hands as a construc-

tive, creative movement of the highest human order, and when I think of what these boys have been led to do—" He walked around his desk and clenched his fists in helplessness. "It is something so exasperating to us, something so awful and dreadful, that I cannot find words to express myself."

Lord Moyne is dead. Bet-Souri and Hakim are dead. They committed murder. They have paid for what they did. It is one more tragic chapter in the history of a tragic people.



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General O'Dwyer disclosed that the army provided trucks and fuel and 1,180 tons of food which is being transported from Switzerland through the International Red Cross to concentration camps in Southern Germany. The J. D. C., which has been working in close cooperation with the War Refugee Board, shared in the acquisition of transportation facilities for shipping urgently needed foodstuffs into camps such as Theresienstadt.

He paid tribute to the Joint Distribution Committee's life-saving activities carried on since the outbreak of war in 1939. In describing the underground rescue work which brought thousands of Jews out of German-occupied territory, he said: "The Joint Distribution Committee poured millions into these hazardous operations."

"The emergency for 1945 is created by the million Jews saved since 1939 and now in Europe," General O'Dwyer said. "They are broken in body and spirit and are in dire need of special and immediate care."

"The time has come when emphasis must be directed to the task of keeping alive and rehabilitating the saved people. These helpless ones, who up to now have attracted the sympathy of a humane world, must not be forgotten in the joy of our imminent complete victory over the common enemy in Europe," General O'Dwyer added.

The General continued: "Several thousand orphaned Jewish children in France were kept alive by means of funds sent from Switzerland under special licenses of this government. The funds were used to maintain these children in convents, schools and private homes by compassionate Christians, Catholic and Protestant alike."

The 8,000 Jewish children who survived four years of Nazi occupation through the far-sightedness and determination of the J. D. C. are now being helped to rebuild their lives. In addition to its large-scale program of relief, the J. D. C. recently allocated five million francs to French Jewry for the rebuilding of synagogues, religious schools, and other cultural institutions. Trained J.D.C. workers are successfully developing the child-care program which was inaugurated immediately after France's liberation.

"We must not for a moment forget that the million Jewish survivors, while living, are barely alive," General O'Dwyer continued. "Too many of these first victims have lived so long and suffered so much under Nazi cruelties and starvation that they need immediate and extraordinary care to have even a

chance to attain normal physical or mental health.

"It is true that even now the governments of the United Nations are giving consideration to the final relocation of the people displaced by the war. It is most fortunate that there exist private agencies which are ready immediately to step into the breach."

During the first five months of this year, it was disclosed recently, the J. D. C. appropriated close to \$12,000,000 for emergency relief for liberated Jews as well as for the maintenance of programs designed to rebuild and rehabilitate devastated Jewish communities.

"I wish all of us could be shown the camps through which these people have passed so that we might better understand their terror of yesterday and their hopelessness of today and tomorrow but, since this cannot be done, I wish that each one of you had in your own home, at your own fireplace, one of these agonized survivors. His presence, his very appearance would tell the story of his sufferings and his needs far better than could be done by words. You would then see how sick he is in his mind and in his body. You could see his terror of the past and his dread of the darkness of his unknown future. No words of mine could match that appeal."

"These people are only half alive. It will take everything that you can give to bring them back to normal health. Your agencies, particularly the Joint Distribution Committee and the United Palestine Appeal, have the experience and the trained personnel to do a good job. They need money with which to do it and you must see them through," General O'Dwyer said.

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CHILDREN'S Birthday Parties

Mrs. M. Elliott, Sherbrooke St. West, entertained in honor of the sixth birthday of her son, Anthony, brother of Shirley, at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. M. Teff, Prince Albert Avenue. Anthony's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Young, were there; his uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Shine, Mr. and Mrs. David Cival, of New York, and Mrs. A. Harris; his cousins, Miss Tamar Shine, Anthony and Berry Shine; Rosalynne Cival, of New York; Naomi, Marilyn, and Paul Harris; and Misses Nina and Sheila Teff, and Michael Teff; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berman, of Rochester, N.Y. Anthony wore a soldier suit, and his mother wore a printed pink and black dress. His birthday cake was chocolate and white. His father, Major M. Elliott, R.A.M.C., is stationed near Cairo, Egypt.

Mrs. A. Pincus, Clinton Avenue, gave a party for her son, Milton, was eleven, brother of Norman, aged five. Present were: Eileen Cooperberg, Beverley Leiberman, Leonard Mintzberg, Leon Mintzberg, Morris Kaporovsky, Stephen Byers, Stephen Lande, Lawrence Book, Jerry Stein, Joel Schaffer, and Jess Pearson. Mrs. B. Leiberman, Norman's grandmother, and Mrs. H. Leiberman, assisted in serving. The birthday cake was blue and white, with blue candles and a blue inscription reading, "Happy Birthday, Milton."

Mrs. Jack Ross, 2605 Soissons Avenue, gave a party for her daughter, Henny, who was one year old, sister of Phyllis, eleven, and Gail, six. Henny's grandmother, Mrs. P. B. Kooperstock, was there; her aunt, Mrs. A. Kooperstock; Mesdames H. Ungar and M. Greenberg; Miss May McGarry; and Edward Greenberg. Henny wore a knitted blue dress, with blue socks and white shoes. The birthday cake was white, pink, and green, with green candles and a green inscription reading, "Happy Birthday, to Henny."

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oppenheimer, Maplewood Avenue, gave a party for their daughter, Helene, who was two years old. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Etinson, and Mr. and Mrs. I. Oppenheimer, were there; her uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wexler, Mr. and Mrs. B. Etinson, Miss Mollie Etinson; and Mr. and Mrs. M. Wolf-sky and Henry Marvin; and Helene's cousins, Marcia Wexler and Rhona Frances Etinson. Helene wore a white dotted Swiss dress, trimmed in pink, with a pink hair-

ribbon and socks, and white shoes, and Mrs. Oppenheimer wore a black dress. The birthday cake was pink, trimmed in white and blue, with pink candles, and a white inscription reading, "Happy Birthday, Dear Helene."

Mrs. Harold Seligman, Bloomfield Avenue, was hostess in honor of the second birthday of her daughter, Phyllis, who was two. Her grandmothers, Mrs. M. Saibil and Mrs. M. Seligman, were there; her aunts, Mesdames Maurice Saibil, David Saibil, Ben. Saibil, Harry Saibil, Morris Millman; and Mesdames Harry Frank, Donald Brownman, Irving Magik, Harold Cohen, Morris Cohen, Nathan Friedman, William Pepper, D. Kainer; and Phyllis's cousins, Fred and Myrna Saibil, Eric Saibil, Evelyn Saibil, Eleanor Saibil; and Steven Brownman, Rosalie Magik, Rhona Cohen, Linda Friedman, Samuel Pepper, and Alexis Kainer. Phyllis wore a red and white gingham dress, with white socks and shoes. Mrs. Harry Frank poured the tea; and the birthday cake was iced in chocolate, with white and pink trimming, and pink candles and a pink inscription reading, "Happy Birthday to Phyllis."

Mr. and Mrs. L. Harry Litvak, Dorchester Avenue, gave a victory birthday party for their daughter, Sharon Lynn, who was four, sister of Michael David, sixteen months old. Present were: her uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. William Litvak, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Litvak, Mrs. Bercus Segal, Mrs. Joseph M. Miller, Mrs. H. Weigensberg, Miss Sonia Litvak; her cousins, David Simon Litvak, Esther, Robert and Mark Litvak, Harold Leslie Miller, Pauline Janet Indaig; Mrs. A. Levine, a great-aunt; and Mesdames M. Vilner, S. Gold-bloom, Mark Sherman, Hy. Herscovitch; and Frances Vilner, Marion Goldbloom, Frances Brenda Sherman, Fred Herscovitch, Patricia Walsh, Helen Ann Golt, Beryl Michael, and Walter Moscovitch. Sharon Lynn wore a white and rose-colored seersucker dress, with ruffled eyelet embroidered white square yoke, pink moire hair-ribbon, and white socks and shoes. The room was decorated with streamers in victory colors. The table held candy baskets and favors, and a centerpiece of flags. The birthday cake was pink, with pink candles, and a white inscription reading, "Happy Birthday to Sharon Lynn, Four Years Old". Mrs. Mark Sherman sang: At the end of the party, each child was presented with a framed nursery picture. Sharon Lynn's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Weigensberg and Mr. and Mrs. I. Litvak, were unable to be present.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bassor (nee Mollie Spier), Park Avenue, a daughter, Jewel Sharon, sister of Hyman, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 22. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Spier, Bloomfield Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. K. Bassor, St. Joseph Boulevard West.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cheifetz (nee Frooma Godgin), Esplanade Avenue, a daughter, Tamar Ann, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 25; granddaughter of Mrs. Esther Godgin, of London, England.

Born, to A.C. Ben. Shapiro, R. C. A. F., stationed at Kingston, Ont., and Mrs. Shapiro (nee Rosalie Wiesenfeld), Trans Island Avenue; a daughter, Pauline Ruth, sister of Toba, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 22. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiesenfeld, Dollard Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. L. Shapiro, Hutchison Street.

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Herta (nee Gertrude Warhaft), Mount Royal Avenue East, a son, Kenneth Victor, at the Woman's General Hospital, on May 3; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. M. Warhaft, Waverley Street; and of Mrs. Miriam Hertz, Laval Avenue, and the late Akiva Hertz. Godparents are Mrs. Miriam Hertz and Jack Hertz, Laval Avenue.

Born, to Tpr. David Alper, Canadian Armoured Corps, stationed at Camp Borden, and Mrs. Alper (nee Gertrude Gray), Clark St., a son, Melvin, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 27. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. N. Gray, Clark Street; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Alper, Clark Street. Godparents are Miss Lily Gray and Hy. Gray, Clark Street.

Diamond (nee Tillie Prashker), Roy Street East, a son, brother of Marvin, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on April 30; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Prashker, St. Urbain Street; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. Diamond, of Montreal.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Kutzin (nee Rose Kligman), Dorchester Avenue, a daughter, Myra, sister of Lorna, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 26; granddaughter of Mrs. Myer Kligman, Papineau Avenue, and the late Myer Kligman; and of Mr. and Mrs. M. Kutzin, Quebec Avenue; and great-granddaughter of Mrs. H. Kligman, St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wener (nee Rae Gerstel), Hutchi-

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph

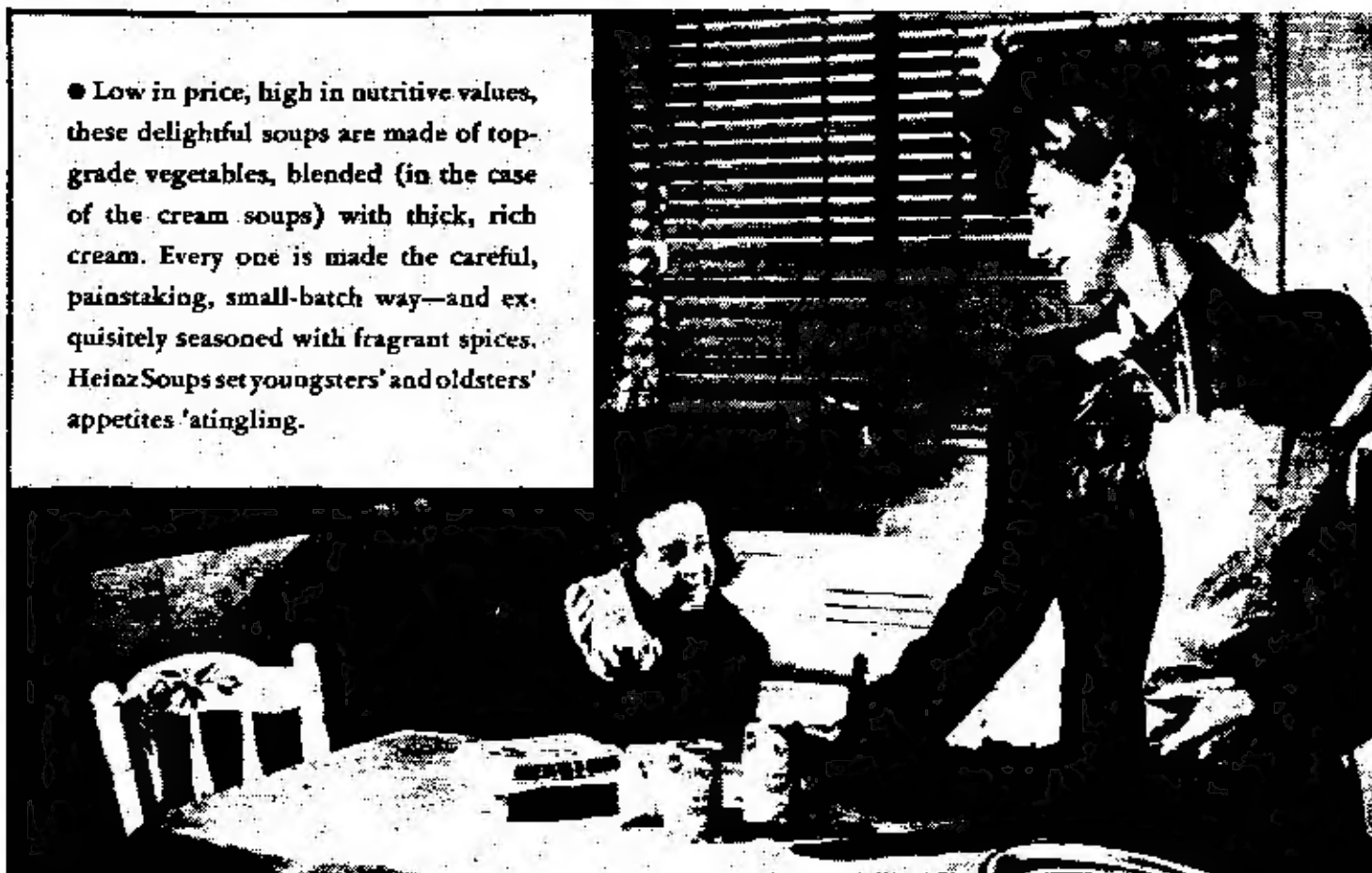
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UNVEILINGS

A monument in loving memory of the late Sara Livingston will be unveiled on Sunday afternoon, May 27, at two o'clock, at God Teller Cemetery, Dawes Road, Rabbi Samuel Sachs and Cantor A. Bernstein officiating.

The unveiling of a monument to the late J. M. Paul, 339 Bathurst Street, will take place on Sunday, May 27, at 11:30 p.m., at Sons of Jacob Cemetery, Dawes Road.

Card Of Thanks

The family of the late I. Herman and the late Lieutenant Theodore Herman wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to their relatives and friends for the acts of kindness and messages of sympathy received during their recent and bereavement.

H. S. HERSHENBERG**Social Notes — Toronto**

Dr. L. M. Hutter, of Los Angeles, Calif., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hutter, Glen Cedar Road, en route to Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. Bernard Schipper, of Los Angeles, Calif., formerly Miss Merle Solway, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Solway, Madison Avenue; and Mr. Schipper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schipper, Welmer Road North, for a month.

Mrs. Reuben Schutz, of Chicago, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. Bernard Goldstein, Madison Avenue, for several days.

Mrs. J. Kopman, Whitmore Avenue, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. Morvin, of Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael H. Stein, formerly Miss Helen Adelberg, have taken up residence at 438 Avenue Road.

Dr. and Mrs. William Garbe, St. Clement's Avenue, spent several days in Buffalo, N. Y., where they celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary.

Misses Frances and Sandra Feldman, Vaughan Road, spent several days in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Thelma Stulberg, Mount Pleasant Road, has returned from Detroit, Mich., where she spent a week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stulberg.

Mrs. B. Metter, Turner Road, has returned from a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Sergeant and Mrs. Joseph Steiner, of Albany, N.Y., formerly Miss Rose Metter, of Toronto.

Sergeant Alex Hartsman, who is stationed in Prince Rupert, B. C., is spending three weeks with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Porer, Burnside Drive.

Mrs. F. Rosenbaum, of Sturgeon Falls, Ont., is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Fine, 1846 Bathurst Street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sanders, Glenview Avenue West, are visiting in New York for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Jacobs and daughter, Yvette, of Detroit, Mich., were the guests of M. Jacobs, and his son-in-law and daughter, Pett Officer, Leo Kay, R.C.N.V.R., and Mrs. Kay, Pinewood Avenue, for several days.

James Shaan and daughter, Leah, of Winnipeg, Man., spent several days in town at the Park Plaza Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Smierling, Jarvis Street, had as their guests their son and daughter-in-law, Sergeant and Mrs. N. Smierling, and daughter, Joanne, of Winnipeg, Man., and their son-in-law and daughter, Captain and Mrs. J. Welsch, of New York. The guests also visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Nathanson, Jarvis Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Nemy, of Winnipeg, Man., spent ten days with Mrs. L. Cohen, Everdon Road, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Faibish, Bathurst Street.

Mrs. S. Shulman and son Norman, Denison Avenue, are spending several weeks in Detroit, Mich., with the former's aunt, Mrs. F. Herah.

Misses Beanie, Minna, and Rose Livingston, formerly of 182 Spadina Road, have taken up residence at 306 Jarvis Street.

Word has been received that Warrant Officer Norman Bainblatt, R.C.A.F. youngest son of Mrs. Cecelia Bainblatt, Maria Street, has been repatriated from a prisoner-of-war camp in Germany.

Miss Sara Weisberg, Sussex Avenue, flew to Washington, D. C., to take up a position with U. N.R.R.A.

Mrs. M. Levine and daughter, Marsha Penny, of Swift Current, Sask., are spending several months with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosen, Lippincott Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard S. Levitt, McCaul Street, have returned from an extended tour through the Eastern States, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Friedman, of Paterson, N.J.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Switzman, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; M. Goldberg, of New York; Sergeant and Mrs. David Gross, and the Rothman family, of Utica, N.Y.; and other relatives and friends.

Kelly Hershenberg, who is stationed in Vernon, B.C., spent his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hershenberg, Beatrice Street.

Miss Pearl Goodman, Borden Street, has returned from New York, where she was maid of honor at the wedding of her future sister-in-law Miss Ma Saltzman, to Harvey Scher, Miss Goodman's fiancé, Sergeant George Saltzman, U. S. Army, is in Paris, France.

Mrs. Oscar Albert, Carling Avenue, entertained at a presentation luncheon at Eaton's Round Room, honouring Miss Carol Freed, a bride-elect of June 12.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Kaplan, Chiltern Hill Road, were hosts at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Morris Levine, of Saskatoon, Sask., who are in town for the Levine-Grafstein wedding. Twenty-four guests were present.

Those who entertained for Miss

Bella Gottlieb and Sapper Alex Serota, R.C.E., whose marriage will take place on June 10, were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Salson, at a theatre party; and Mr. and Mrs. Max Serota, at a theatre party.

Those who entertained for Miss Norma Rizenman, whose marriage to Nathan Wasserman took place on June 17, were: Mrs. H. Silverman, Major Street, at a luncheon; and Mrs. D. Wasserman, Borden Street, luncheon.

Miss Bertha Gottlieb was hostess at a personal shower in honour of her sister, Miss Bella Gottlieb, a bride-elect of June 10. The hostess wore a maroon-coloured dress, with sequin trimming, and the honoree wore a Chartreuse-colored print dress. About twenty guests were present.

Messdames D. Nefsky and S. Goldberg were hostesses at a luncheon at Chudleigh House, honouring Miss Ruth Garnick, whose marriage to Joseph Nefsky takes place on June 17. The honoree wore a blue suit, with white carnations in her hair. About twenty-five guests were present.

Misses Marjorie Klein, Dorothy Kates, Ida Wasserman, and Pauline Starkman were hostesses at a tea and shower to honour Miss Norma Rizenman, a bride-elect of June 17, at the honoree's home, Palmerston Avenue. The honoree wore a dress of black crepe, trimmed with silver brilliants, and a corsage of roses. About thirty guests were present.

Miss Ida Wasserman entertained at a personal shower at Murray House in honour of Miss Norma Rizenman, a bride-elect of June 17. The hostess wore a mauve crepe dress, with a corsage of pink carnations, and the honoree wore a red printed dress, with a corsage of white carnations. Assistants were Misses Pauline Starkman and Jean Miller. About thirty guests were present.

Corporal Harry Berofe, R.C.A. F., and Mrs. Berofe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Berofe, Westover Hill Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simpson, Westover Hill Road, were in Kingston for several days, where they were present at a dinner and dance given in the Synagogue Hall by Mr. and Mrs. A. Kizel, parents of Mrs. Harry Berofe, in honour of Corporal Berofe, who recently returned from overseas. About two hundred guests were present.

Mrs. F. Rizenman was hostess at a tea and shower in honour of her daughter, Norma, whose marriage to Nathan Wasserman takes place on June 17. The hostess received in a blue print dress, with a corsage of yellow roses; and the honoree wore a white print dress, and a corsage of red roses. The tea table was set with a centre-piece of sweet peas, carnations, and roses, flanked by lighted blue tapers. Assistants were: Messdames A. Good, M. Baker, I. Goldstein, B. Seher, and J. MacIntyre. About fifty guests were present.

A party honoured David Jack Goldstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Goldstein, 293 Euclid Avenue, on his fifth birthday. His grandmother, Mrs. David Bluestein, and his baby sister, Faith Violet, one year old, were there. Carl Sone accompanied the children on the piano accordion for singing "Happy Birthday" and other songs. Fifteen children were present, receiving hats and whistles, and little baskets of candy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cooper, St. Clair Avenue West, were hosts at a dinner and reception at Chudleigh House, in honour of the bar-mitzvah of their son, Harvey. About one hundred and twenty-five guests were received by Mrs. Cooper, in a black dinner gown, with a turquoise-blue jacket, and a corsage of roses, assisted by Mrs. E. Jacobs, grandmother of the bar-mitzvah, and Mrs. F. Krantz, his aunt. George Krantz acted as toastmaster. Mrs. C. Witting, of New York, was a guest.

Mrs. D. Jacobs entertained at a luncheon at the Belvin in honour of her daughter, Annette, whose marriage to Mac Krakofsky takes place on June 24. One hundred and seventy-five guests were present. Mrs. Jacobs received in a grey crepe dress, with a corsage of American Beauty roses, assisted by Mrs. J. Krakofsky, mother of the groom-elect, in a violet-colored dress, with a corsage of Talisman roses; and Miss Betty Krakofsky, sister of the groom-elect, in a lime-green dress, with a corsage of white gardenias. The honoree wore a pale blue lace dress, with carnations in her hair. Messdames Nat. Rubinstein and Allan Jacobs, sisters of the bride-elect, poured.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Goldberg, 100 Bellevue Avenue, received on their fifth wedding anniversary. Their six children were present. Messdames M. D. Tick and Charles Kay, of Toronto; Jack Yura and Charles Basse, of Detroit, Mich.; Joseph Fluzgold, of New York; and Harry A. Bachin, of Buffalo, N.Y. Mrs. Goldberg wore a mauve crepe dress, with a corsage of orchids. The house was decorated with red and pink roses, and the tea table, set with a lace cloth, with gold trimming, was centred with yellow roses and golden bells.



Captain Rabbi David Monson, 407 Rosamary Road, Toronto, has recently returned from overseas, where he served as chaplain.

Messdames Jack Kay, Ben. Liebman, and Bert Cowan were assisted by Messdames J. Banks, S. Platt, R. Fluzgold, S. Dale, M. Goldberg, and H. Yura who poured; in the dining room by Messdames Eli Spivack, H. Leibman, Charles Fralich, S. Freedhoff, and Misses Anita Dale, Grace Kay, Ruth Kay, Judith Tick, and Shirley Levin. About four hundred guests called. Out-of-town guests were: Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. S. Herman, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yura, of Detroit, Mich.; Dr. Arthur Levia, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. I. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Levine, and Miss Judith Anne Tick, of Buffalo, N.Y.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Geller, of St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rachlin, of Georgetown, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pollock, of Montreal, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Levine, Borden Street, entertained at a birthday party in honour of the second birthday of their daughter, Annette. Annette wore a red and white candy-striped dress, with a red hair-ribbon, red socks, and white shoes. The birthday cake was decorated in pink and white, with three candles, and lettered "Happy Birthday, Annette". The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Baker, Queen Street West, were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Nathanson entertained at dinner in the Imperial Room of the Royal York Hotel in honour of Captain and Mrs. J. Welsch, of New York, the former having recently returned from overseas. In Paris and Palestine, and the Sergeant and Mrs. N. Smierling, of Winnipeg, Man. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Ross, Mrs. N. Smierling, Miss Adeline Nathanson, Major A. Friedgut, Corporal Louis Herman, and Fred Grant. The guests of honour left shortly after for Detroit, Mich., and North Carolina.

Mrs. Harry Grafstein, Borden Street, gave a dinner at the Belvin for her daughter, Miss Frances Grafstein, whose marriage to Sydney Fogle takes place on August 18. About one hundred and fifty guests were present. Mrs. Grafstein received in an American Beauty coloured dress, with a corsage of roses; assisted by her daughters, Mrs. J. Bloom, in a light blue print dress, and a corsage of roses, and Miss Molly Grafstein, in a light green print dress, and a corsage of roses; and Mrs. F. Fogle, mother of the groom-elect, in a grey dress, and a corsage of roses. The honoree wore a black and white print dress, and a corsage of red and white roses. Messdames S. Rotman, grandmother of the bride-elect, and T. Bernstein, grandmother of the groom-elect, were present.

Mrs. Louis Mandel entertained at dinner at the Murray House in honour of her granddaughter, Miss Bella Gottlieb, whose marriage to Sapper Alex Serota, R.C.E., takes place on June 10. Mrs. Mandel received in a lavender and purple print two-piece dress, and was assisted by Mrs. J. Gottlieb, mother of the bride-elect, in a pale green mesh two-piece dress; and Mrs. D. Serota, mother of the groom-elect, in a two-piece black dress with embroidered bodice. The honoree wore a Chartreuse-coloured print dress, with purple gloves. Those present were: Messdames S. Kerner, R. Applebaum, P. Treffer, T. Mandel, H. Mandel, M. Serota, F. White, F. Mandel, J. Kirshenbaum, D. Pinciner, E. Cohen, S. Kerner, A. Weiner, and Misses Bella Treffer and Bertha Gottlieb.

Mrs. Anne Leibovitz, College Street, was hostess at a dinner to celebrate Allied Victory in Europe, as the result of a promise made some time ago. A prayer was given for all in the services who had given their lives, and a toast to the Royal Family, to the Allies, and to all the men and women in the armed forces. All present pledged that when complete victory was won, a larger party would be given, at which it is hoped that all the Leibovitz family now in the services would be home to celebrate. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Borovoy, Harbord Street; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leibovitz and daughter, Jeanette, Dufferin Street; Mr. and

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Palestinians In England, Freed From Camps

Two hundred and twenty-five Palestinian Jewish ex-prisoners of war arrived in England. They are members of the Palestine Jewish units captured by the enemy in the campaigns in Greece and Crete in 1940. After four years as prisoners of war in Eastern Germany they were marched by the Germans to the west when the Russian Armies threatened Silesia. They marched 800 kilometres, until they were liberated by the American Armies in the Kasel region. They were then brought to the reception camp in the Midlands, where a group of Palestinian soldiers have been preparing for their reception.

A representative of the Jewish Agency in London visited the men in the reception camp. Over 70 per cent of the soldiers are badly undernourished and extremely weak as a result of their long enforced march, during which they had a daily ration of 150 gm. of bread. Further small groups of liberated Jewish ex-prisoners of war have been arriving since at the Midlands camp.

MONTREAL DEATHS

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Mrs. S. Amiel, and Mrs. M. Miller, both of Montreal; three sons, Harry, Moie, of Montreal; Phillip, of New York; thirteen grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi P. Hirschprung officiating. Burial was in Adath Jeshurun cemetery. Shiva was at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. Miller, 1531 Ducharme Avenue. Mr. Amiel was born in Lodz, Poland, and came to Montreal thirty-five years ago.

David Spector, aged fifty-seven, died suddenly on May 5. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Beanie Spector; two sons, Max and Herbert; three daughters, Mrs. A. Rosenthal (Ethel); Mrs. W. Pollicoff (Sadie); and Mrs. H. Ruckenstein (Freda); and four grandchildren, Marsha Ruckenstein, Karen Pollicoff, Estabai and Irwin Rosenthal. Funeral took place from Paperman's, Rabbi C. Denburg officiating. Burial was in Chevra Kadisha cemetery. Shiva was at the home, 729 Bloomfield Avenue.

David Engelberg, aged sixty-two, died on April 28, at his home, 4663 Esplanade Avenue. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther Engelberg; six sons, Harry, Louis, Pte. Jack Engelberg, R.C.A.M.C. (overseas); L. A. C. Samuel Engelberg, R.C.A.F., stationed at Cole Harbour, N. S.; Hy and Frank; two grandchildren, Roman Engelberg, and Rhona Engelberg; two brothers, Nathan and Leo, both of Montreal; and four sisters. Funeral took place from



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Paperman's, Cantor L. Syrak officiating. Burial was in Bessarabier Hebrew Sick Benefit cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

MONTREAL BIRTHS

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son Street, a son, Brian David, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 26. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. Gerstel, Hutchison Street; and Mrs. M. Wener, Hutchison Street; great-grandfather in S. Vidocq, Duluth Street East. Godparents are Miss Sara Gerstel, Hutchison Street; and Samuel Wener, Hutchison Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Marta (nee Jean Bragold), St. Denis Street, a daughter, Marcia, sister of Brian, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 26; granddaughter of H. Bragold, St. Denis Street, and the late Mrs. Bertha Bragold; and of Mrs. S. Marta, Maplewood Avenue, and the late M. Marta.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Diamond (nee Anne Davis), 5469 Park Avenue, a daughter, Rebecca, sister of Gordon, at the Jewish General Hospital, on April 28; granddaughter of Samuel Davis, of St. Lin, and the late Mrs. Corinne Davis; and of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Diamond, Hutchison Street.

Born, to Private and Mrs. Victor Friedlander (nee Rita Stanfield), Esplanade Avenue, a daughter, Reena Lee, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, on May 3; granddaughter of M. Stanfield, Esplanade Avenue, and the late Mrs. R. Stanfield; and of Mr. and Mrs. D. Friedlander, of Bronx, N. Y.



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TORONTO MEETINGS

MUTTER FARKIN Farband Folk Schools annual tea, in aid of the schools, at the home of Mrs. M. Kachuk, 176 Glen Cedar Road, had Mrs. B. Rosenick as convener, and Mrs. M. Pollack as chairman.

YOUNG WOMEN'S War Services Club tea is in aid of Military Hospitals, on Sunday, May 20, from 8 to 7 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Aaron Katz, 109 Walmer Road. Miss Bernice Goodman is president; convener, Misses Klavie Korman and Frances Venick.

MIZRACHI Women: Menorah Chapter will sponsor a tea in aid of refugees in Palestine, Sunday, May 20, from 2 to 4 p.m., at the home of Mrs. N. Sokol, 545 Walmer Road. Mrs. H. Frankel is president; Messdames F. Silverberg, B. Weiner, I. Ginsberg, E. Kirsh, H. Karolnick, I. Steinberg, H. Solnick, are assisting at the tea table.

NORMAN BETTUNE War Services Club (Y.M.Y.W.H.A.) and Dick Steele Club (L.P.P.) will hold a monster bingo on Tuesday, May 22, at Orange Hall, entire proceeds for Youth Aliyah and Canadian Aid To Russia funds. Convener are: Misses Mary Kamin, Miriam Mayson, Frances Rubenstein. Public welcome.

Philip Stuchen, of Ottawa, Assistant to the Director of Information in the Federal Department of Labour, will have shortly to conduct field duties in the relief work for the Jewish war victims overseas under arrangements made by the Canadian Jewish Congress. Mr. Stuchen will join the overseas staff of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee which is the largest world-wide humanitarian relief organization second only to the international Red Cross. Mr. Stuchen, a native of Guelph, Ontario, is a Master of Arts graduate in Political Science of Queen's University, having, in addition, done further graduate studies at the University of Toronto. In 1935 he was on the executive staff of the Canadian Jewish Congress. The following year he joined the Department of Labour as statistician and research assistant with the National Employment Commission and later served under the Director of Employment Service in the Unemployment Insurance Commission. During 1943-44 Mr. Stuchen interrupted his service with the Department of Labour to act as Civilian Personnel Adviser with the Department of National Defence (Army) for Military Districts No. 1 and No. 2. Mr. Stuchen was president of the Ottawa Jewish Young People's League and is on the executive of the Jewish Community Council, the Public Affairs Council, the Ottawa Branch of the League of Nations Society, and the Citizens' Forum Council. During the past two years he has also been with the Social and Economic Research Committee of the Canadian Jewish Congress and has made a systematic study of Jews who served in General Wolfe's army in Canada.

HERREW WOMEN'S Social Service Convalescent Home are holding their annual tea on Sunday, May 20, from two to ten, at



Mrs. Jack Steinman, 180 Baldwin Street, Toronto, was Miss Marie Simon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Simon, Baldwin Street. Mr. Steinman is the son of Mrs. M. Steinman, of Ottawa, Ont., and the late H. Steinman.

posely recited. Letters of thanks were read from soldiers overseas for comfort boxes.

UNITED Jewish People's Order, Branch 14, are holding a Victory Tea on Sunday, May 20, from 2.30 to 9 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Jules Hogo, 40 Cumberland Street. Public invited.

SONS OF DAVID Ladies' Auxiliary bridge at the home of Mrs. Joseph Kline, 89 Hilton Avenue, aided Mount Sinai Hospital. Social convener, Mrs. R. Klienberg, was assisted by: Messdames P. Goldfoot, D. Yuffe, H. Cohen, C. Tide.

BNAI BRITH summer camp for underprivileged children will open next month for the twenty-sixth consecutive year. Camp site is at Lake Couchiching, near Grills. Young men between seventeen and twenty-two who want to apply for positions as counselors and directors, write to Isadore Markus, 74 King Street East, director. Camp doctor, arts and crafts directors, and other specialty men are being sought. Louis Robinson is chairman of Camp Bnai Brith applications committee.

UNITED Jewish Welfare Fund annual meeting elected Edward E. Guber president. Over 400 members elected also: J. Irving Gelberman, Morris E. F.R. Henry S. Rosenberg, Samuel J. Sachs; Arthur Cohen, Herbert Allen, Charles Foster, Mrs. Israel Rothbart, Ben. Sadowitz, Julius Wiener; William Agronov, Julie Allen, Samuel Kronick, Elias Pullen; Rabbi Samuel Sachs; chairman of Board, Samuel Postlone; chairman of Men's Service Council and 1946 Campaign; Samuel J. Granatstein; treasurer, Samuel Godfrey; Joseph B. Lubotta, Dr. John L. Atkins, Archie B. Bennett, Irving Berenson, Louis Berger, Mos. Birnbaum, Murray Brody, Dr. Louis J. Breslin, Jack Creed, Rabbi W. Drasin, Mrs. Dorothy Dworkin, Mrs. Irving Eisen, Rabbi Abraham L. Feinberg, Ben. Foster, Roy H. Frankel, Morris Frankfort, I. Freeman, Morris W. Gasser, Arthur E. Geller, Bert. Godfrey, Frank Godfrey, Mrs. J. Barney Goldfarb, John S. Granatstein, D. Lou Harris, Ben. A. Hines, Dr. Louis J. Jassal, Julius P. Katz, Joseph Levine, Al. May, Abe Pectanus, Harry Pullan, Sol. Rotenberg, Mrs. Harry M. Samuel, Elia I. Shapiro, Mrs. John A. Sherman, Mrs. Morris Shulman, Sol. Spivak, Calvin K. Swartz, H. Max Swartz, Mrs. Morris S. Tili, Ben. Weinberg, Zudek Weinberg, Henry Weiner, Leon Weinstein, Morris J. Weinstein, Dr. Bernard Willinsky, Louis J. Zuker, J. Irving Gelberman, retiring president, presented his report. Sidney Hollander, president of the Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, was guest speaker, introduced by Samuel Godfrey. Reports were also given by Henry S. Rosenberg, for the treasurer, Arthur Cohen; Joseph B. Lubotta, secretary; Miss Florence Hutner, executive director; William Agronov, Samuel Postlone, Men's Service Council Campaign; Mrs. John A. Sherman, Women's Service Council.

MARRIAGES

MILTON JOSEPHSON

The marriage of Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Josephson, Spadina Crescent, to Isador Milton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Milton, took place on Tuesday May 15, at half-past six o'clock, Rabbi Samuel Sachs officiating. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory-colored slipper satin, with a sweetheart neckline, moulded bodice, bouffant skirt, and long sleeves cut to points over the wrists. Her full-length veil was caught to her head in a coronet of lace ruffles, trimmed with pearls and orange

blossoms. She had a strand of seed pearls and carried a cascade of white roses, sweet peas, and baby's breath. Miss Reva Josephson attended the bride as maid of honour, wearing an afternoon dress of turquoise-blue crepe, with net insertions patterned in a daisy effect, a fuchsia-colored feather headpiece, with turquoise-blue veiling, and fuchsia gloves, and carried a nosegay of American Beauty roses. The bridesmaids, Misses Gertrude Moore and Tillie Marshak, were dressed alike in afternoon dresses of mauve crepe, with mauve feathered hair head-dresses trimmed with pink veiling, and pink gloves, and carried nosegays of pink roses. Dr. Joseph E. Josephson, of St. John's, Nfld., brother of the bride, was best man, and the ushers were: Captain Maxwell N. Rockman, Murray Banks, Louis Simons, and David R. Josephson. The wedding music was played by J. H. Hamilton, and during the ceremony, Miss Virginia Kyle sang "Because". The hall was decorated with pastel spring flowers. The bride's mother, Mrs. Josephson, received in an aureole-blue crepe afternoon dress, trimmed with lace, and a fuchsia feathered hat and matching gloves. Mrs. Milton, the groom's mother, wore a dusky pink dress, and a white hat and gloves. For the wedding trip to Montreal, Que., and the Laurentian Mountains, the bride wore a dressmaker suit of loganberry-red gabardine, with a grey polka-dot blouse, navy accessories, and a corsage of orchids. The couple will reside in Toronto. The groom is a graduate of the University of Toronto.

BAR-MITZVAHS

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kirshenbaum, 3152 Dundas Street West, announce the bar-mitzvah of their son, Irving, to take place on Saturday, May 26, at nine-thirty, at Dridzer Synagogue. Reception on Sunday, May 27, at six-thirty, at 300 College Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Winkler, 512 Spadina Crescent, announce the bar-mitzvah of their son, Martin, to take place on Saturday, May 19, at nine-thirty, at Hebrew Men of England Synagogue. Reception on Thursday, May 24, at six-thirty at the Synagogue.

APPROACHING MARRIAGES

Michael Freed, 28 Lippincott Street, announces the approaching marriage of his daughter, Goldie Jean, to Alfred Appel, of Prescott, to take place at Beth Jacob Synagogue, in Brockville, on Thursday, May 24, at four o'clock.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Eisen, Ashburnham Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Irving Liders Nussimoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boris Nussimoff, Palmerston Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zweig, Borden Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley, to Irving Liders Nussimoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boris Nussimoff, Palmerston Avenue.

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(Continued from Page One) not alter his religious status which is still that of his mother. Accordingly, a Mabel shall not perform circumcision in such a case, so that simple folk be not led to believe that merely by that act the child becomes Jewish.

2. A Jew who is married to a non-Jewish woman that has not been duly admitted into the Jewish Faith is not thereby debarred from joining Jews in prayer, nor is he to be denied Jewish burial (though it cannot be granted to his non-Jewish wife and children). Such a Jew, however, shall not henceforth be eligible to membership in a congregation. If he acquired membership prior to the date of the promulgation of this Pronouncement, that membership stands; but he shall not be given office. One whose wife and children are not part of the Jewish community shall have no voice or influence in the direct or indirect administration of the religious life of that community.

In the days of old, when men who had inter-married held positions of power in Jewry, and Ezra the Scribe resolved to take strong action in regard to the evil, the following was the response of the people to his appeal:

"Arise; for the matter belongs unto thee, and we are with thee: be of good courage, and do it." (Ezra X 4).

The pronouncement is signed by J. H. Hertz, Chief Rabbi of Great Britain, and Dayanim Lazarus, Abramsky, and Granfeld.

FREELAND LEAGUE

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"The land must be sparsely populated so as to avoid conflict with the already existing population."

"The colonization must be financed not on a philanthropic but on a business basis. The necessary funds will be provided by the Jewish people in America and in other countries as well as by a special international loan."

Concerning Palestine, the league memorandum said: "It is to be hoped that some sound and just formula will be found for the harmonious life of Jews and Arabs within one political framework, but it seems that this struggle for the political future of Palestine must take time, and nobody can tell how long. That would mean that the number of Jews able to enter Palestine will depend on the uncertain political situation in that part of the world."

The league also asked that homeless Jews receive full rights to resettle in Europe if they desire, or to emigrate into countries overseas without discriminating restrictions.

Martin and Elliot. Grandparents are Mrs. L. Cohen, Dovercourt Road; and Mrs. A. Pearl, Grant Street.

Born to Rabbi Morton M. Applebaum, formerly of Toronto, and Mrs. Applebaum, of Flint, Mich., on May 4, in Flint, a son, Bruce Jay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Applebaum, Ridge Hill Drive.

Born to Sergeant Edward J. Steiman and Mrs. Steiman (nee Bernice Cowins), at Toronto Western Hospital, on May 15, a daughter. Grandparents are Mrs. J. Cowins, Toronto; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steiman, of Winnipeg, Man.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Len Shout (nee Frances Oberman), 246 Montrose Avenue, at Toronto General Hospital, on May 5, a son, Barry Milton, brother of Geraldine. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Oberman, Montrose Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. E. Shout, College Street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Max Pearl (nee Pearl Cohen), 208 Grace Street, on May 14, at Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, sister of

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Commentaries

By Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi

Sinai And The Triumph Over Hitlerism

How good it is to welcome the Shabuoht Feast in these days of victory for the cause of freedom and human dignity which are anchored in the moral law of Sinai. How gloriously fitting that now when decency and democracy are having a rebirth through the efforts of the United Nations, we should rehearse the dramatic story of Mount Sinai, the birthplace of personal righteousness and social morality, the scene of Israel's consecration as a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.

Sinai ever symbolizes the victory of the spiritual. Here, Israel, freed from physical bondage, became the bearer of God's message of truth to the ends of the earth. Israel, since that day, has dared to bear witness to God's unity and often, because of his witnessing and holding in trust God's truth, had to suffer martyrdom. For, when the Jew is persecuted, in reality it is the moral law that is under attack. And to be true to the best in Judaism is to be loyal to the religious mission of Israel which the great prophet Isaiah has so glowingly set forth:

"I the Lord have called thee in righteousness,
And have taken hold of thy hand, and kept thee.
And set thee for a covenant of the people
For a light of the nations."

Dr. Hermann Rauschning reports a Hitler conversation before an intimate gathering in which Hitler revealed himself and his aims. "That devilish 'Thou shalt!', and that stupid 'Thou shalt not!'. It's got to get out of our blood, that curse from Mount Sinai! That poison with which both Jews and Christians have spoiled and soiled the fine, wonderful instincts of man and lowered them to the level of doglike fright."

Reading of the thoughts and works of the Nazi monsters, who can gainsay that the Nazi hierarchy was determined to uproot the Ten Commandments from human society and also the people through whose genius the moral law of Sinai was revealed to humanity? This was the purpose of the revolution of destruction perpetrated by the Nazis upon the world. The result of it has been a murderous assault on human progress and every form of higher human culture.

But, thank God for the victory that is now ours! Before our very eyes the Nazi war machine is now crushed and the unlamented death of Hitler and Mussolini came within the short period of three days and death and destruction are now pursuing all the evil perpetrators of Nazism and Fascism.

Religion must now have a rebirth. What made barbarians out of the German people was their worship of science and their very little enthusiasm for God, and that these barbarians could operate for a time in the world has been due to the world's general neglect of loyalty to the moral law of Sinai.

Shabuoht calls upon all of us to fortify and deepen our religious consciousness through increasing interest in the synagogue as the primary institution in Jewish life, the dynamo which motivates with spiritual power all movements in Jewish life. How fitting that in the liberal synagogue boys and girls undergo the beautiful ritual of confirmation on Shabuoht and take upon themselves the pledge of loyalty to God made by Israel at Sinai centuries and centuries ago.

Mankind's hope lies in his choice to live by the moral law of Sinai. Otherwise, he is doomed to new paganism and new wars of destruction. Shabuoht presents a challenge to the Jew and non-Jew alike. In this hour of victory let us resolve to live in accordance with the God's law of righteousness and thus walk in the ways of peace and brotherhood.

ARAB LEAGUE

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forth in the accompanying statement, of "preventing a united front within the conference."

As far as San Francisco is concerned Arab unity is a fact, and this unity may have an important bearing on the review of the mandate system and the whole controversial issue of trusteeships. The conference will probably not do more on this issue than attempt to find a general formula which will reconcile the American and British points of view on one side and the differences between opposing American schools of thoughts on the other.

The Soviet view, expressed by Mr. Molotov in his statement to the press last Monday, is that the proposals "require study" but his delegation, he added, "realizes that for the interests of international security we must first of all see to it that dependent countries are enabled as soon as possible to take the path of national independence."

Palestine and Transjordan are still under mandate. The independence of Syria and Lebanon has been recognized by the great powers, including France, though the French claim that they cannot finally relinquish the mandatory power until they are released by the League of Nations or the international authority which succeeds it. But Syria and Lebanon have delegations here and Palestine has not, first because it is British mandated territory, and second, be-

cause it cannot acquire independence until a solution is found for the irreconcilable claims of Arabs and Zionists for political control.

The Palestinian problem agitates the periphery of the conference. Both Arabs and Zionists believe Palestine should have a place here and they are doing their utmost to make its voice heard. Four Jewish groups are pressing their divergent ideas and the Arab States are united in opposition to the Zionist case.

But the Arabs hope and the Zionists fear that the subject has no chance of coming before the assembly even in the discussion of trusteeships. It will be hard enough to find agreement on a general principle to govern trusteeships, and the steering committee has made it clear that the application of this principle to specific cases is not the business of this body.

A minority of Jews and Arabs are asking if the presence here of so many Zionist and non-Zionist leaders with official representatives of all the Arab States does not furnish an exceptional opportunity for an exchange of views in a fresh atmosphere. This is a very small minority—the periphery of the periphery, so to speak, consisting mainly of those who favor the extension of the Arab League into a Middle East federation, or region, which would give independence within a larger framework to non-Muslim units like Jewish Palestine and Christian Lebanon. Efforts to initiate such discussions have so far met with little success, but they are continuing.

Evil In The World

Toronto Saturday Night says:

Hitler looked evil. Hitler was evil. But could the world get into its present state because one man was evil? Many people say that all Germans have an evil disposition and this is why they tolerated Hitler. To be sure, they tolerated him. But if they tolerated Hitler, the world tolerated Hitler Germany.

The world tolerated Hitler Germany because there were

FIRE SWEEPS

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rear of the school was extinguished within a few minutes, and firemen listed it as accidental until they received another fire alarm from the school at 11:06.

The alarm was telephoned by Miss Ada I. Hirsch, a social service worker, who was in a first floor office at the time. Miss Hirsch saw flames shooting up from the basement and along the rear stairways.

She rushed into the hall and shouted to the students, who were in their classrooms: "Don't use the rear staircase. Use the front." She continued calling until all the students had filed out.

Hearing her shouts, Rabbi Schneiderman ran to the third floor and closed a steel fire door which, police said, prevented the fire from mushrooming through the roof. He then called on some students, who aided him in rescuing the scrolls.

Most of the students live in Brooklyn, but the school houses 150 from other cities. The homes

of neighbors were opened to them for the night.

Two firemen were slightly injured fighting the fire, and a sick student alone in the fourth-floor infirmary was rescued by ladder. The student was Mordecai Shapiro, sixteen, of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Brophy said that the fire started in some empty wooden boxes in the basement of the school. Three weeks ago, he said, a fire was discovered in the same spot, but was extinguished by the school's cook.

Later Rabbi Simon Godes, executive director of the seminary, said he could not believe that any one would want to set fire to a school for any reason. After the fire was extinguished many of the pupils re-entered the building and continued their studies and prayers.

Jewish labor in France is faced with a difficult situation because large numbers of unskilled women and youngsters are unable to find jobs. To relieve the crisis the Jewish Trade Union Commission reopened labor cooperatives and workshops.

fascist minded, that is, evil-minded, people everywhere. And though they succeeded only in a few countries in seizing power, democratic governments in all countries were so greatly hampered by them that they could not agree on liquidating Hitler when he could be liquidated without war.

Hitler Germany was the citadel of evil. This citadel has fallen. But the spirit that made it grow has not fallen. The peace of the world is in danger as long as there remains one fascist state in the world. And there are more than one today. But even if there were none, the fascist spirit, the evil spirit, remains dangerous.

How do we recognize it? We recognize it in anti-Semitism, in the baiting of other racial minorities and groups which are economically weak, in the pampering of Papens, in friendliness towards fascist Spain, Portugal, Argentina, and in many other manifestations.

Fascism is indivisible. The case of Germany has proved it. Let our watchfulness be indivisible, too. And let it be total. Hitler once was a little agitator. By all means, let us watch out for little Hitlers anywhere. And let us start at home.

Let us remember, too, that what permitted the rise of Hitlerism was the inability of German public opinion, and German public authority, to defend the peaceable German against Hitler's thugs and bullies. The German has little sense of necessity of permitting freedom even to those who differ from him. He did not mind seeing a Communist knocked on the head by a half-dozen Nazis. He did not mind seeing a German Jew knocked on the head. Eventually he did not mind seeing even a German Protestant pastor, a German Catholic priest, knocked on the head. When he began to mind, it was too late, for by that time anybody who was not ready to shout "Heil Hitler" was being knocked on the head. The Reign of Terror had begun. And because no man likes to admit even to himself that he is a coward the German began to believe that he was actually in favor of that against which he was really too cowardly to protest.

The only way to fight Hitlerism is by defending liberty, and by defending it with courage, with consistency, and with eternal watchfulness.



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